Executive Proclamation

State of South Dakota

Office Of The Governor

WHEREAS, Governor Charles Thone did bestow upon James Peterson, Eminent Supreme Archon, a commission as Admiral in the Nebraska Navy; and,

WHEREAS, Said commission was ceremoniously and audaciously presented to Jim Peterson on December 4, 1982, within the territorial confines of the great and sovereign State of South Dakota; and,

WHEREAS, The existence of such naval authority by a citizen of Minnesota represents a real threat to the security of the great State of South Dakota and an imbalance in the number of out-of-state admirals in our respective navies; and,

WHEREAS, It has come to my attention that Marc Franson in his capacity as Province Archon has become knowledgeable of the lands, waterways, and other resources of our great State; and,

WHEREAS, It is my belief that Marc Franson possesses the requisite leadership qualities to restore the balance of power between the navies of the states of Nebraska and South Dakota and that he is a fitting counterpart to Admiral James Peterson:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, WILLIAM J. JANKLOW, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby appoint, designate and commission him

ADMIRAL MARC FRANSON, SOUTH DAKOTA NAVY

and do charge him with the responsibility of protecting the territorial integrity of this great State and do empower him with such authority as is necessary to carry out his duties as an Admiral in the South Dakota Navy, subject, of course, to the ever present omnipotence of the Commander in Chief.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, In Pierre, South Dakota, the Capital City, this First Day of January, In the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Eighty-Three

William Janklow

WILLIAM J. JANKLOW, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

Alice Kundert

ALICE KUNDERT, SECRETARY OF STATE

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